



THE  
JOHNSTOWN  
ESTATE ★★★★  
HOTEL & SPA



# JBE

Entertainment, Reimagined

# Why work with JBE?

Set within 120 acres of stunning Irish countryside, The Johnstown Estate provides the perfect stage for impactful meetings, high-performing incentive programmes and unforgettable gala evenings - all just 35 minutes from Dublin.

In collaboration with JBE, your event moves beyond the agenda and into experience.

We transform conference days into energised networking moments.

We turn gala dinners into immersive productions.

We create celebration nights that motivate, reward and inspire.

**Expect:**

Electrifying welcome receptions that set the tone from arrival.

Bespoke entertainment aligned to your brand and objectives.

Show-stopping gala productions and awards experiences.

Authentic Irish showcases with a modern twist.

Seamless, world-class production delivered with precision.

The result? An event that energises your people, strengthens connections and leaves your delegates talking long after they return home. Through collaboration with JBE at The Johnstown Estate, your event isn't just hosted - it's brought to life.

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# Your Entertainment Partner

We get it. You've already got lots to think about. Menus, rooming lists, transport. It's a lot.

So, we're here to engineer a creative spark that will bring your programme of events at The Johnstown Estate to life through the power of live entertainment.

We've listened to your brief and have put together a shortlist of hand-picked options for you to consider.

Still got something else in mind? No problem.

We're ready to listen.



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So, what have we got in mind?  
Let's explore...



# Authentic Irish Entertainment

## Perfectly suited to...

Cultural welcome experiences, gala dinners, corporate entertainment and international incentive events.

## What's involved?

A range of traditional Irish music and dance performances designed to immerse guests in Ireland's culture and energy. Options include traditional bands, harp performances, Irish dance shows, céilí experiences and contemporary Irish fusion acts and much more that can be tailored to the format and scale of your event.

## Sample of Available Experiences:

- Traditional Irish Band
- Traditional Céilí Evening Show
- Irish Dancing Flash Mob
- Celtic Dawn- Irish Dancers
- Roving Fiddle Players
- Traditional Harp

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# Live Music & Musical Performances

Perfectly suited to...

Drinks receptions, networking events, gala dinners and stylish background entertainment.

What's involved?

A curated selection of professional musicians delivering elegant live music across a range of styles. Performances can be tailored to suit the atmosphere of your event, from relaxed acoustic sets to sophisticated classical ensembles.

Sample of Available Experiences:

- Acoustic Busker
- Piano Players & Vocalists
- Contemporary Irish Singer/Songwriters
- Spoken Word Performances
- String Quartets
- Electric Harp
- DJs

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# Interactive Entertainment

## Ideally suited to...

Drinks receptions, networking events, guest arrivals and moments where engagement and atmosphere are key.

## What's involved?

Interactive performers move naturally throughout the event, creating spontaneous moments of surprise and entertainment for guests. These experiences are designed to encourage conversation, break the ice and provide memorable, personalised interactions that enhance the overall guest experience.

## Sample of Available Experiences:

- Digital Caricaturists
- Traditional Caricaturists
- Strolling Magicians
- Stilt Walkers
- Photobooths
- Roaming Entertainment Acts i.e. singing opera waiters, roaming brass bands & so much more!



# Showstopping Performances

## Perfectly suited to...

Conference energisers, spectacular event openings, high-energy arrivals, gala dinner moments and unforgettable headline entertainment.

## What's involved?

High-impact performances designed to captivate audiences and create memorable moments within your event programme. Combining powerful live drumming, dramatic visual effects and dynamic choreography, these performances deliver an exciting burst of energy that immediately commands attention and elevates the atmosphere in the room.

## Sample of Available Experiences:

- Celtic Warrior Drummers
- Drummers & Flames
- Aerial Artists
- Celtic Dawn Table Performance
- Fire Performers

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# Awards Ceremonies

## Perfectly suited to...

Corporate award ceremonies, gala dinners, internal celebrations and large-scale branded events.

## What's involved?

A complete awards production service is available to help you deliver a seamless and professional experience from start to finish. This can include full technical production with sound, lighting and staging, alongside expert show calling and stage management to ensure precise timing throughout. Professional hosts and “Voice of God” announcers guide the event, while our team can also support with run-of-show planning and scripting to create a polished, engaging awards experience that reflects your brand.



# Themed Events

## Perfectly suited to...

Corporate celebrations, gala dinners, incentive programmes and immersive guest experiences.

## What's involved?

Fully themed entertainment experiences designed to transform your event and transport guests into a unique atmosphere. From traditional Irish celebrations to bespoke creative concepts, our team curates performers, music and visual elements that bring the theme to life and create a cohesive, memorable experience for guests.

Share your vision for your theme and we will bring it to Life...

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# Selection of Bands

## A unique experience best suited to....

We work with a wide range of Ireland's top professional party bands, perfect for corporate events, gala dinners, awards nights, weddings, and large celebrations.

From high-energy dancefloor bands to stylish pop, soul, and rock performers, we can provide the perfect band to suit the style and atmosphere of your event.

Examples include:

- [4-Piece Corporate Band](#)
- [4 Piece Trad Band](#)
- [4 Piece Band Video](#)
- [3 Piece Band Video](#)

....Full entertainment packages can be curated to suit the format and tone of your event.



# Bespoke Entertainment Curation

## Perfectly suited to...

Events seeking a unique and fully tailored entertainment experience.

## What's involved?

Our team works closely with clients to design and curate bespoke entertainment programmes that perfectly match the theme, audience, and atmosphere of the event.

From sourcing world-class performers to creating seamless show moments, we combine music, dance, and speciality acts to deliver a truly memorable experience. We have curated large-scale and immersive experiences from full private corporate productions of **Riverdance** to the **Arrol Suite show experience in Guinness** every Saturday.



# Drummers & Flames

## Perfectly suited to...

Spectacular arrivals, meet & greet, enhancing interaction

## What's involved?

Propane Flames combined with the beat of Celtic Warrior drums creates a show-stopping wow moment as an arrival experience for your event. Fully certified for all health & safety compliance.



# Event DJ

## Perfect for...

Party night, floor-fillers, post-dinner entertainment

## Who are they?

Live DJ set for up to 3 hours.

Can be enhanced as below:

Add a trumpet player

Add a strolling sax player

Pop-up sax/trumpet performs for 90 minutes  
intermittently during the DJ set

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# Traditional Céilí Evening Show

## Ideally suited for...

Dinner Show

## What's involved?

A traditional Irish Céilí evening featuring 3 musicians and a minimum of 5 Irish dancers. A full evening of music, song & dance lasting up 2.5 hours.

A celebration of Irish song, music, and dance.

Space is required for a dancefloor, and additional dancers can be provided at additional charge.



# Irish Dance Flash Mob

## Creating special moments during...

Call to dinner, end of a meal before a main act, during an informal Irish party night

## What's involved?

The 7 minute routine opens with a solo Celtic drummer who captivates the audience and creates interaction with a unique beat. Momentum builds as the are joined by a single Irish dancer, followed by the entrance of additional dancers. They go on to perform an exhilarating, powerful, hard shoe routine.

Dancers are in costume, or pending location may be disguised as waiting staff of the venue.



**JBE pioneered Irish dancing on tables – combining traditional culture with playful, unexpected performance twists.**



# Celtic Dawn – On Tables

**A unique experience best suited to...**

Gala Dinner performance

## **What's involved?**

A stunningly unique presentation of Irish dance performed right on the dining table where guests are seated for dinner.

The act includes 10 dancers, 1 bodhran player, 1 Celtic drummer, floor managers to execute the routine and oversee transport. Delivery, collection and insurance are all included.

Special re-enforced tables are delivered at 1pm on event day.



# Singing Piano Man

## Perfect for...

Drinks reception, post-dinner entertainment

## Who are they?

The singing piano man, with a range of hits for all occasions. The artist comes with his portable baby-grand piano, playing everything from pop chart hits, rock, jazz, classical, blues, soul, R&B to piano ballads.

Set last up to 2 hours, setup time is 45 minutes.



# Irish Fusion

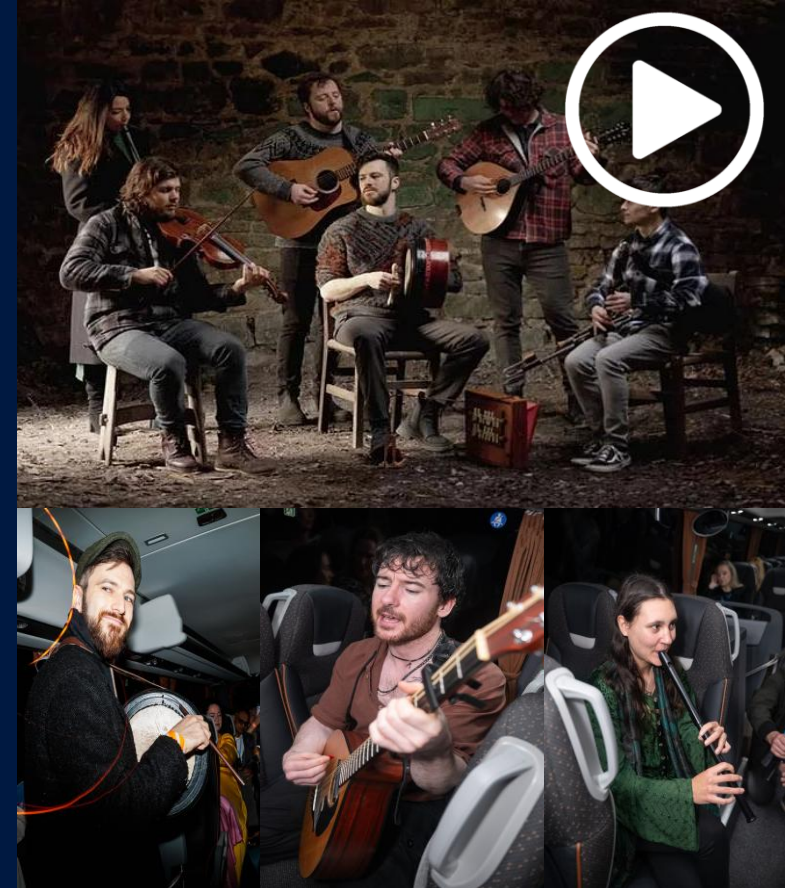
## Ideally suited for...

Roving entertainment, Irish Pub night, Irish party

## Who are they?

A collective of musicians who celebrate Irish music through a fusion of traditional, medieval and contemporary arrangement.

The group can perform as a selection of soloists, up to a quartet of musicians, featuring mandolin, whistles, fiddle, Uilleann pipes and piano.



# String Quartet

## Creating the perfect vibe for...

Corporate events, drinks receptions, weddings, and gala dinners seeking elegant and sophisticated live music.

## What's involved?

A professional String Quartet performs a beautiful selection of classical favourites alongside modern and contemporary arrangements.

Perfect for guest arrivals, networking receptions, or creating a refined background atmosphere for your event.



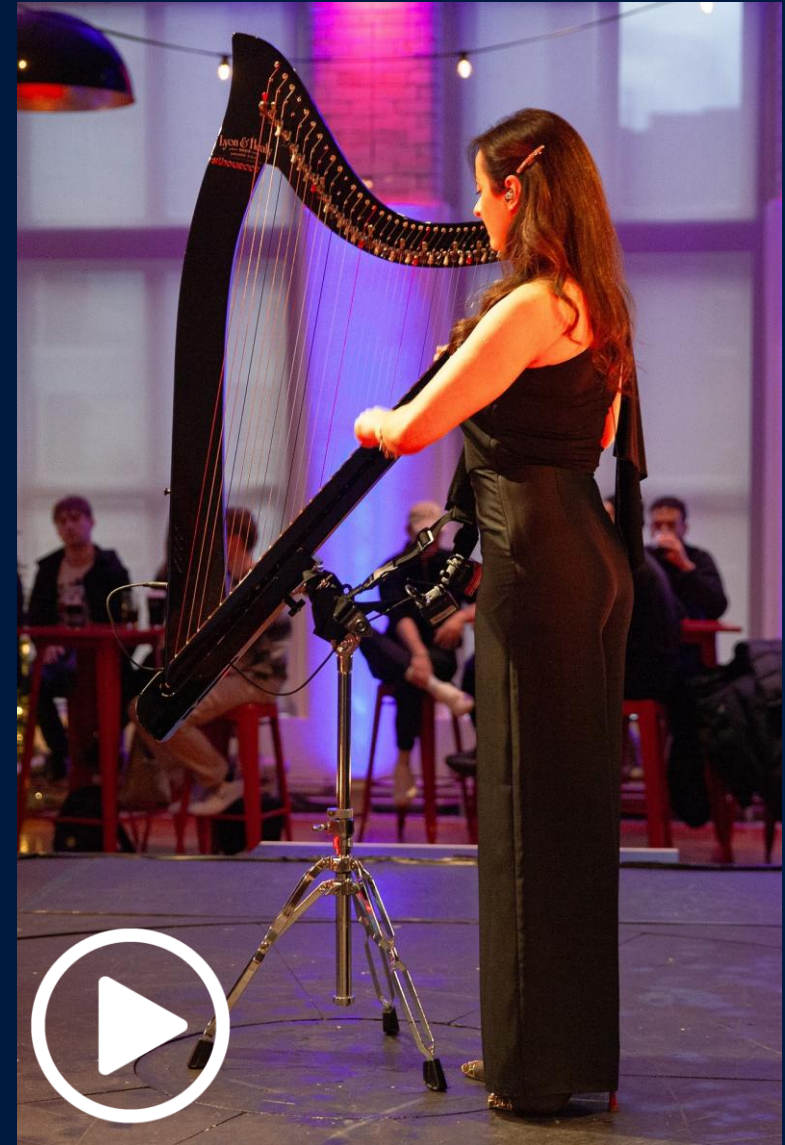
# Electric Harpist

## Creating the perfect vibe for...

Corporate events, drinks receptions, weddings, and luxury brand events seeking elegant and contemporary live music. Perfect for background ambience, guest arrival, networking receptions, or featured performance moments.

## What's involved?

A stunning live set on electric harp, blending modern, classical, and contemporary music styles. Performances create a sophisticated atmosphere and can be tailored to suit relaxed background settings or featured entertainment.



# Traditional Harpist

## Creating the perfect vibe for...

Corporate events, drinks receptions, weddings, and cultural events seeking elegant traditional Irish music.

## What's involved?

A traditional harpist performs a beautiful selection of Irish airs and classical favourites on the Irish harp, creating a warm and atmospheric musical backdrop.

Perfect for guest arrivals, receptions, or adding an authentic Irish touch to your event.



# Strolling Magicians

## Perfectly suited to...

Pre-dinner drinks, during an informal party night

## What's involved?

A highly interactive and fun experience to surprise and delight your group, performing for up to 2 hours during your event. Depending on final numbers, two magicians can work best.



# Photobooth

## Creating the vibe for...

Corporate events, gala dinners, Christmas parties, and weddings looking for fun, interactive guest entertainment.

## What's involved?

A fully hosted photo booth experience with professional lighting, backdrop, and a wide selection of props.

Guests receive instant printed photos, with digital sharing options available. Custom branding and themed backdrops can be tailored to suit your event.



# Digital Caricaturist

## Perfectly suited to...

Drinks reception, informal party nights

## What's involved?

Award winning artist, who creates a fun, engaging and interactive piece of entertainment using an iPad Prop with images air-dropped or emailed to the guests device.

B&W images in 3-4 minutes, colour in 5-8 minutes.

Your company logo can be included, and an external monitor is setup so that guests can see the drawing in real-time.

The artist is mobile and can move around the event space.



# Talent

This is the cost to hire your chosen act to perform at your event.

# Production

This is the estimated cost of sound and light to bring the entertainment at your event to life, based on your chosen venue and the estimated number of guests attending the event.

# JBE Event Manager

To successfully engineer your extraordinary event onsite, we will supply a dedicated Event Manager to coordinate talent & production and to liaise with you and the venue team during your event. An Event Manager fee is €500 + vat per event – number of event managers required may depend on the talent

# Final costs

Final production requirements and costs will be based on your chosen venue and talent selections. Please note that none of the suggested acts have been provisionally booked, unless otherwise discussed.



# Thanks for reviewing our proposal.

The JBE team look forward to listening to your feedback and to working with you on this extraordinary event.

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